

**Bethel Furniture Stock, Inc.**  
**Oxford County**  
**Bethel, Maine**  
**A-134-71-H-M**

**Departmental**  
**Findings of Fact and Order**  
**Air Emission License**  
**Amendment #1**

After review of the air emissions license amendment application, staff investigation reports and other documents in the applicant's file in the Bureau of Air Quality, pursuant to 38 M.R.S.A., Section 344 and Section 590, the Department finds the following facts:

**I. REGISTRATION**

**A. Introduction**

1. Bethel Furniture Stock (BFS) of Bethel, Maine was issued Air Emission License A-134-71-G-R on 12/20/99 permitting the operation of emission sources associated with their manufacturing facility.
2. BFS has requested a minor revision to their license in order to include the use of VOC containing sealers.

**B. Amendment Description**

Section I(A) of BFS's license states that there are no paints, lacquers, varnishes or other coatings used in any of their processes. This was an incorrect statement as there is a small amount of a VOC containing sanding sealer used. Assuming the sealer is 100% VOC, the amount used will still emit less than 1 ton/year and is therefore an insignificant activity. BFS shall keep records to demonstrate emissions from the use of the sealer do not exceed 1 ton/year.

**C. Application Classification**

This amendment will increase emissions by less than 4 ton/year for each single pollutant and less than 8 ton/year for all pollutants combined. Therefore, this modification is determined to be a minor revision and has been processed as such.

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### ORDER

The Department hereby grants Air Emission License Minor Revision A-134-71-H-M, subject to the conditions found in Air Emission License A-134-71-G-R and in addition to the following conditions:

- (20) BFS shall keep records to demonstrate emissions from the use of sealer do not exceed 1 ton/year.
- (21) This amendment shall expire concurrently with Air Emission License A-134-71-G-R.

DONE AND DATED IN AUGUSTA, MAINE THIS            DAY OF            2000.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
MARTHA G. KIRKPATRICK, COMMISSIONER

PLEASE NOTE ATTACHED SHEET FOR GUIDANCE ON APPEAL PROCEDURES

Date of initial receipt of application: 6/15/00

Date of application acceptance: 6/15/00

Date filed with the Board of Environmental Protection: \_\_\_\_\_

This Order prepared by Lynn Ross, Bureau of Air Quality.